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REPLY TO
ATTN OF M/S 525

Flora Goldstein
Eastern Regional Office
Washington Department of Ecology
North 4601 Monroe, Suite 100
Spokane, Washington 99205

Dear Ms. Goldstein:

This letter is in regard to the status of agency activities at the Pasco Sanitary Landfill. As we had discussed previously, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is in the process of investigating groundwater contamination at and downgradient from the site. As planned, EPA conducted a sampling effort during the week of October 20, 1986, which included sampling of:

- 3 monitoring wells on-site for inorganics;
- 7 drinking water wells downgradient for priority pollutants;
- 1 downgradient irrigation well for priority pollutants.

The enclosure lists the names of the owner of the wells sampled. I will keep you informed as to the results of this sampling effort.

I also ask that the Washington Department of Ecology keep EPA informed as to the status of activities regarding the Pasco Sanitary Landfill, particularly with regard to permit issuance, inspections, and environmental monitoring at the site. Information can be routed to me as I am currently the project officer for the Superfund work at the site. My telephone number is (206) 442-2712. Marcia Knadle is the hydrogeologist on the site, her number is (206) 442-1641.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lori Cohen

cc: Stan Vendetti
Bob Kievit

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WELLS SAMPLED

October 20 - 24, 1986

Drinking Water Wells

- ° Bonnie Brae Trailer Park
- ° Hommes Hideaway
- ° Al Yenne (sampled two wells)
- ° Pasco Sanitary Landfill (drinking water well)
- ° Savage and Sons
- ° Rada and Sons

Irrigation Wells

- ° DeVris Dairy